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AB T cells expressing the appropriate T-cell receptor Vbeta chain
proliferate

in response to Staphylococcus enterotoxin A (SEA) pulsed **antigen**
-presenting cells (APC), whereas other T cells do not (SEA
"non-responders"). Activated human T cells express MHC class II molecules
that are high affinity receptors for SEA. Here we show that, in the
absence of APC, SEA induces a profound inhibition of IL-15-driven
proliferation in MHC class II+, human SEA-"responder" T-cell lines. In
contrast, proliferation induced by phorbol ester (PMA) was enhanced by
SEA. The inhibitory effect on cytokine-mediated mitogenesis correlates
with an inhibition of IL-2Rbeta expression and ligand-induced tyrosine
phosphorylation of IL-2R. Cyclosporin A (CyA), an inhibitor of the
protein
phosphatase (PP2B) calcineurin, strongly inhibits the SEA-induced
modulations of cytokine receptor expression. Moreover, CyA inhibits both
the anti-mitogenic effect of SEA on cytokine-induced proliferation and
the
pro-mitogenic effect of PMA. In contrast, inhibitors of PP1, PP2A,
protein
kinase C (PKC), phosphatidylinositol-3-kinase (PI-3K) and mammalian
target of **rapamycin** (mTOR) are unable to inhibit the effects of
SEA. In a SEA "non-responder" T-cell clone obtained from the affected
skin
of a patient with psoriasis vulgaris, SEA does not inhibit IL-2Rbeta
expression and IL-15-driven proliferation. On the contrary, SEA enhances
IL-15- and IL-2-induced proliferation via a CyA-sensitive pathway in this
T-cell clone. In conclusion, the present data show that (i) SEA
selectively inhibits IL-15- (but not PMA-) mediated proliferation in SEA
"responder" T cells, (ii) SEA enhances cytokine-driven growth in
psoriasis
T cells with a "non-responder" phenotype, and (iii) crosstalk between SEA
receptors and the IL-15R (and IL-2R) pathway is mediated via a
PP2B-dependent and PP1/PP2A-, PKC-, PI-3 kinase- and mTOR-independent
pathway in human T-cell lines.

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